is intimated to him, credit into the Government Treasury of the taluk concerned, one-fourth of the total rental including the deposit already made. Should he fail to do so, the deposit will be forfeited and the exclusive privilege will be re-sold by the District Forest Officer.

5. Re-sales effected under the above para will be at the risk of the defaulting bidder who will forfeit all gain, and in the event of a loss by the re-sale shall make good the deficiency between the total amount payable by him for the whole period under the terms of the original sale and the total amount payable by the successful bidder at the re-sale.

6. The lessee shall sign an agreement binding himself to observe the conditions below, and it should be executed within three days from the date on which the confirmation of the sale may be intimated to him.

7. The balance of the lease amount and the local cess at one anna in the rupee on the whole sum shall be paid in full before the end of April 1897; failing which, the lessee will forfeit the one-fourth sum already credited and also his claim to the produce, and the right of collecting the same is liable to be re-sold.

CONDITIONS.

(1) To bark all shoots, whether large or small.
(2) To hold himself responsible to prevent the felling of tender stems by his servants or sub-contractors.
(3) To furnish a list of sub-contractors and maistris who may be appointed by them for the collection of bark in the different working circles.
(4) The barked wood to be the property of the lessee.
(5) To keep accounts showing the quantity of the bark removed in accordance with the lease and to permit inspection of such accounts by the District Forest Officer or any other Officer deputed by him.
(6) To provide Passes for each cart-load of bark in such manner as may be laid down by the District Forest Officer.
(7) To remove out of the limits of the Kolar district and before the end of June 1897, all bark cut, collected or stored.
(8) To hold himself responsible for the occurrence of any fire in State Forests or Plantations, provided they are caused by him and by his men, and to make good any loss which may accrue to valuable forest trees or crops.
(9) In the event of breach of any of the above conditions, the lease is liable to be cancelled, all the bark collected to be confiscated, and the whole of the deposit amount or a portion thereof to be forfeited to Government.

A. RANGASWAMAIENGAR, *Dy. Comr.*

MYSORE DISTRICT.

Notification, dated 13th February 1897.

The right to collect tolls at the toll gates specified in Schedule A from 1st July 1897 to 30th June 1898 will be sold by public auction at the places noted opposite to each by the Deputy Commissioner, or any other Officer deputed for the purpose on the dates noted therein.

2. The contractors who purchase the right must collect tolls at the rates mentioned in the schedule B on the in-coming traffic only and at no higher rates.

3. The Deputy Commissioner reserves to himself the power of refusing or accepting the highest or any bid that may be offered.

4. The contract amount is payable in twelve equal monthly instalments due on or before the 10th of the following month. The contractor shall pay, as soon as the sale is confirmed, a deposit equal to two monthly instalments for the due performance of the contract. The amount in deposit will, if the conditions of the contract are complied with, be credited towards the instalments due for the last two months of the contract.

5. If the deposit is not made immediately after the close of the sale, the contract will be resold at the risk of the approved bidder. If default is made in the payment of the instalments, interest at one pie per rupee per month will be levied till the date of payment, and the unexpired portion of the contract will also be liable to be sold at the discretion of the Deputy Commissioner and the deficit will be recovered from the contractor who shall not be entitled to the profits, if any.

6. In addition to the amount bid for the contractors are, subject to the conditions stated in paras 4 and 5, bound to pay local cess at one anna per rupee on the contract amount paid into the treasury.

8. They shall also be bound to keep true accounts of traffic passing through the gates as specified in para 7, for which purpose they shall bind themselves to maintain at their own cost a resident mutsaddi at each toll-gate.

9. The contractors will have the use of existing toll-houses and gates and they will be required to keep them in good repair. If any toll-gates or house are now required they will be put up at Government expense.

10. The contractors should conform generally to the rules published in the late Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 274, dated 4th November 1876, in the matter of ghat tolls.

RATES.

Traffic.	Rate. Rs. a. p.	Remarks.
Four-wheeled carriage with passengers	0 12 0	N.B.—Animals drawing any vehicles, for which toll can be demanded, are not to be also charged with toll. No toll can be levied from the foot passengers.
Do without passengers	0 6 0	
Two-wheeled carriage with passengers	0 8 0	
Do without passengers	0 4 0	
Carts, laden	0 4 0	
Do unladen	0 2 0	
Elephants	1 0 0	
Camels	0 4 0	
Horses with rider	0 1 6	
Do without rider	0 0 9	
Ponies with rider	0 0 9	
Do without rider	0 0 6	
Bullocks, laden	0 1 0	
Do unladen	0 0 6	
Asses, laden	0 0 6	
Do unladen	0 0 3	
Palanquins	0 4 0	
Sheep, goat or pig	0 0 1	

SCHEDULE A.

Serial No.	Roads.	Place at which toll is to be collected.	Place of auction.	Date of auction.	Remarks.
1	Bangalore-Mangalore road, Siddapur Branch road.	At the junction of two roads to the west of the Periyapatam Fort.	Hunsur Taluk Cutcherry.	29th March 1897.	By the Deputy Commissioner or other Officer specially deputed for the purpose.
2	Hassan-Periyapatam, Cananore road...	Between Anakanahalli and Periyapatam.			
3	Madras-Cananore road ...	Panchavalli.			
4	Mysore-Manantody road ...	Kakankote ...	Heggaddevankote Taluk Cutcherry.	5th April 1897.	
5	Bangalore-Nilgiri road ...	Bandipur ...	Gundlupet Taluk Cutcherry.	9th April 1897.	
6	Gundlupet-Sultan Battery road ...	Mulehole ...			
7	Nanjangud-Hasanurghat road. ...	Attikalpur (near Suvarnavati).	Chamrajnagar Taluk Cutcherry.	12th April 1897.	

C. MADIAH, *Dy. Comr.*

The 13th February 1897.

List of excess amount of fees and penalties refundable to the presenter in the Sub-Registry office of the Mysore district for the month of December 1896 :—

Name of Sub-Registry office—Mysore.	Excess amount of fees and penalties refundable—